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TO A PLURALITY OF DESTINATIONS IN A COMPUTER NETWORK
Our Ref. No. 1427/2

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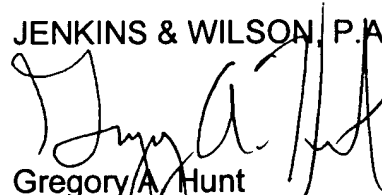
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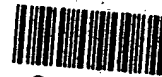
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Publication by Stevens, W.R., entitled "TCP/IP Illustrated," Volume 1, p. 186 (1994).

The Examiner's attention is further directed to the following commonly-assigned co-pending U.S. patent application, a copy of which is attached hereto.

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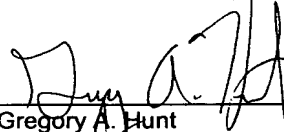
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